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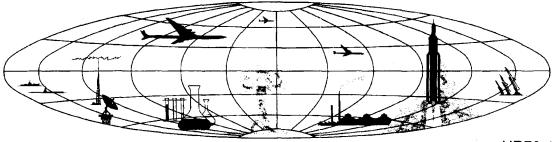
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Further study of KEYHOLE photography negates earlier reports of suspect ICBM activity 3.5 nautical miles (nm) southeast of Nyandoma, at 61-37N 40-18E. 1/2/

The extent of construction at the installation in question is not consistent with that at known ICBM support facilities. Furthermore, in an 18-month period during which basic construction apparently was completed and limited expansion undertaken, no SAM site or ICBM launch area construction is evident.

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